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Table 1: Economy

		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
ESTIMATES OF UNEMPLOYMENT - June quarter						
Unemployed persons	no.	134	140	137	122	110
Unemployment rate	%	5.2	5.4	5.2	4.5	3.9
TAXATION STATISTICS - year ended 30 June						
Non-taxable individuals	no.	782	948	851	855	-
Taxable individuals	no.	2 036	1 788	1 972	2 020	-
Taxable income	\$m	64.5	57.0	66.6	72.1	-
Average taxable income	\$	31 700	31 870	33 785	35 717	-
Net tax	\$m	12.9	11.7	13.5	14.9	-
Average net tax	\$	6 342	6 534	6 847	7 380	-
Average net tax ratio	%	20.0	20.5	20.3	20.7	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS * - year ended 30 June						
Wage and salary earners	no.	1 524	1 512	1 520	1 549	-
Wage and salary income	\$m	41.8	42.8	46.2	49.2	-
Total income	\$m	43.5	43.5	48.0	51.2	-
Average wage and salary income	\$	27 389	28 319	30 405	31 740	-
Average total income	\$	28 509	28 772	31 547	33 056	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY AGE AND SEX * - year ended 30 June						
Males - 15 years to 24 years	no.	177	163	167	184	-
Males - 25 years to 34 years	no.	203	186	174	163	-
Males - 35 years to 44 years	no.	199	203	207	211	-
Males - 45 years to 54 years	no.	167	167	162	159	-
Males - 55 years and over	no.	119	118	127	126	-
Males - Total	no.	865	837	837	843	-
Females - 15 years to 24 years	no.	117	117	112	121	-
Females - 25 years to 34 years	no.	160	143	147	140	-
Females - 35 years to 44 years	no.	166	176	186	184	-
Females - 45 years to 54 years	no.	149	162	156	169	-
Females - 55 years and over	no.	66	77	82	94	-
Females - Total	no.	658	675	683	708	-
Persons - 15 years to 24 years	no.	294	280	280	305	-
Persons - 25 years to 34 years	no.	362	329	321	303	-
Persons - 35 years to 44 years	no.	366	380	393	395	-
Persons - 45 years to 54 years	no.	316	329	317	328	-
Persons - 55 years and over	no.	185	194	209	220	-
Persons - Total	no.	1 523	1 512	1 520	1 551	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY OCCUPATION * - year ended 30 June						
Managers and Administrators	no.	-	86	96	88	-
Professionals	no.	-	238	239	224	-
Associate Professionals	no.	-	42	54	52	-
Tradespersons and Related Workers	no.	-	157	162	157	-
Advanced Clerical and Service Workers	no.	-	27	18	21	-
Intermediate Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no.	-	222	232	250	-
Intermediate Production and Transport Workers	no.	-	84	88	101	-
Elementary Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no.	-	122	112	124	-
Labourers and Related Workers	no.	-	418	383	389	-
Not Stated	no.	-	152	140	143	-
Total wage and salary earners	no.	-	1 549	1 523	1 549	-
PERSONS WITH OWN UNINCORPORATED BUSINESS * - year ended 30 June						
Males						
Males with own unincorporated business	no.	444	274	320	-	-
Own unincorporated business income	\$m	17.7	7.6	9.6	-	-
Total income	\$m	17.0	8.4	10.7	-	-
Average own unincorporated business income	\$	39 906	27 659	29 949	-	-
Average total income	\$	38 200	30 503	33 239	-	-
Females						
Females with own unincorporated business	no.	286	180	200	-	-
Own unincorporated business income	\$m	10.3	4.1	5.2	-	-
Total income	\$m	10.2	5.1	6.4	-	-



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Average own unincorporated business income	\$	35 954	22 665	25 878	-	-
Average total income	\$	35 493	28 270	31 795	-	-
Persons						
Persons with own unincorporated business	no.	730	454	520	-	-
Own unincorporated business income	\$m	28.0	11.7	14.8	-	-
Total income	\$m	27.1	13.5	17.0	-	-
Average own unincorporated business income	\$	38 356	25 676	28 385	-	-
Average total income	\$	37 138	29 617	32 684	-	-
COUNTS OF BUSINESS ENTRIES AND EXITS						
Number of Businesses - at 30 June						
Non-employing businesses	no.	-	480	456	423	420
Employing businesses: 1 to 4 employees	no.	-	141	150	168	168
Employing businesses: 5 or more employees	no.	-	81	87	87	87
Total businesses	no.	-	702	693	678	675
Business Entries - year ended 30 June						
Non-employing businesses	no.	-	-	48	63	63
Employing businesses	no.	-	-	24	15	18
Total business entries	no.	-	-	72	78	81
Business Exits - year ended 30 June						
Non-employing businesses	no.	-	-	90	51	33
Employing businesses	no.	-	-	15	3	30
Total business exits	no.	-	-	105	54	63
Number of Businesses by Industry - at 30 June						
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	no.	-	435	429	426	420
Mining	no.	-	3	3	3	3
Manufacturing	no.	-	12	21	18	21
Electricity, gas and water supply	no.	-	0	0	0	0
Construction	no.	-	33	36	39	30
Wholesale trade	no.	-	15	9	9	12
Retail trade	no.	-	51	48	39	42
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	no.	-	27	30	30	27
Transport and storage	no.	-	39	36	36	39
Communication services	no.	-	6	6	0	6
Finance and insurance	no.	-	12	15	12	12
Property and business services	no.	-	42	36	45	45
Education	no.	-	6	6	6	6
Health and community services	no.	-	3	6	6	3
Cultural and recreational services	no.	-	9	6	6	6
Personal and other services	no.	-	9	6	3	3
Total businesses	no.	-	702	693	678	675

* These data relate to persons for whom this source of income was their principal source of income for the relevant financial year



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		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
POPULATION BY AGE AND SEX - at 30 June						
Males - 0 to 4 years	no.	191	182	180	180	176
Males - 5 years to 9 years	no.	225	223	210	210	212
Males - 10 years to 14 years	no.	199	195	197	194	190
Males - 15 years to 19 years	no.	164	175	172	160	138
Males - 20 years to 24 years	no.	99	83	90	101	122
Males - 25 years to 29 years	no.	130	132	131	122	118
Males - 30 years to 34 years	no.	203	187	170	160	146
Males - 35 years to 39 years	no.	200	196	199	194	191
Males - 40 years to 44 years	no.	231	241	239	237	223
Males - 45 years to 49 years	no.	193	180	181	194	213
Males - 50 years to 54 years	no.	227	217	202	179	178
Males - 55 years to 59 years	no.	201	204	216	226	220
Males - 60 years to 64 years	no.	202	202	198	194	193
Males - 65 years to 69 years	no.	175	182	175	177	184
Males - 70 years to 74 years	no.	133	135	132	135	143
Males - 75 years to 79 years	no.	78	82	88	89	95
Males - 80 years to 84 years	no.	40	38	40	44	54
Males - 85 years and over	no.	26	27	25	27	32
Males - Total	no.	2 917	2 881	2 845	2 823	2 828
Females - 0 to 4 years	no.	157	158	159	154	174
Females - 5 years to 9 years	no.	196	187	179	181	171
Females - 10 years to 14 years	no.	202	191	181	178	176
Females - 15 years to 19 years	no.	154	151	144	139	140
Females - 20 years to 24 years	no.	103	116	117	112	96
Females - 25 years to 29 years	no.	136	121	119	124	128
Females - 30 years to 34 years	no.	181	180	178	166	157
Females - 35 years to 39 years	no.	199	190	175	180	178
Females - 40 years to 44 years	no.	196	196	210	209	205
Females - 45 years to 49 years	no.	184	176	175	178	182
Females - 50 years to 54 years	no.	195	196	181	160	153
Females - 55 years to 59 years	no.	204	209	196	206	204
Females - 60 years to 64 years	no.	162	167	184	186	185
Females - 65 years to 69 years	no.	151	146	147	147	155
Females - 70 years to 74 years	no.	113	115	118	107	108
Females - 75 years to 79 years	no.	100	94	89	102	103
Females - 80 years to 84 years	no.	86	84	92	87	90
Females - 85 years and over	no.	58	65	59	69	83
Females - Total	no.	2 777	2 742	2 703	2 685	2 688
Persons - 0 to 4 years	no.	348	340	339	334	350
Persons - 5 years to 9 years	no.	421	410	389	391	383
Persons - 10 years to 14 years	no.	401	386	378	372	366
Persons - 15 years to 19 years	no.	318	326	316	299	278
Persons - 20 years to 24 years	no.	202	199	207	213	218
Persons - 25 years to 29 years	no.	266	253	250	246	246
Persons - 30 years to 34 years	no.	384	367	348	326	303
Persons - 35 years to 39 years	no.	399	386	374	374	369
Persons - 40 years to 44 years	no.	427	437	449	446	428
Persons - 45 years to 49 years	no.	377	356	356	372	395
Persons - 50 years to 54 years	no.	422	413	383	339	331
Persons - 55 years to 59 years	no.	405	413	412	432	424
Persons - 60 years to 64 years	no.	364	369	382	380	378
Persons - 65 years to 69 years	no.	326	328	322	324	339
Persons - 70 years to 74 years	no.	246	250	250	242	251
Persons - 75 years to 79 years	no.	178	176	177	191	198
Persons - 80 years to 84 years	no.	126	122	132	131	144
Persons - 85 years and over	no.	84	92	84	96	115
Persons - Total	no.	5 694	5 623	5 548	5 508	5 516
POPULATION DENSITY - at 30 June						
Population density	persons/km ²	-	-	-	-	0.6
INDIGENOUS POPULATION - Census 2006						
Percentage of total population	%	-	-	-	-	2.6
OVERSEAS BORN POPULATION: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION - Census 2006						
Born in Oceania and Antarctica (excluding Australia)	%	-	-	-	-	0.7
Born in North-West Europe	%	-	-	-	-	2.3
Born in Southern and Eastern Europe	%	-	-	-	-	0.2
Born in North Africa and the Middle East	%	-	-	-	-	0.1
Born in South-East Asia	%	-	-	-	-	0.1
Born in North-East Asia	%	-	-	-	-	0.1
Born in Southern and Central Asia	%	-	-	-	-	0.1



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Born in Americas	%	-	-	-	-	0.2
Born in Sub-Saharan Africa	%	-	-	-	-	0.2
Total born overseas	%	-	-	-	-	4.0
SPEAKS A LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH AT HOME - Census 2006						
Percentage of total population aged 15 years and over	%	-	-	-	-	0.8
LEVEL OF POST SCHOOL QUALIFICATIONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006						
Postgraduate Degree	%	-	-	-	-	0.4
Graduate Diploma and Graduate Certificate	%	-	-	-	-	0.3
Bachelor Degree	%	-	-	-	-	5.8
Advanced Diploma and Diploma	%	-	-	-	-	4.9
Certificate	%	-	-	-	-	15.6
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-	-	-	12.0
Total with qualifications	%	-	-	-	-	39.2
OCCUPATION OF EMPLOYED PERSONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL EMPLOYED PERSONS - Census 2006						
Managers	%	-	-	-	-	37.9
Professionals	%	-	-	-	-	9.9
Technicians and Trades Workers	%	-	-	-	-	8.7
Community and Personal Service Workers	%	-	-	-	-	6.9
Clerical and Administrative Workers	%	-	-	-	-	9.1
Sales Workers	%	-	-	-	-	4.7
Machinery Operators and Drivers	%	-	-	-	-	6.3
Labourers	%	-	-	-	-	14.7
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-	-	-	1.8
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE - Census 2006						
Lone person households	no.	-	-	-	-	537
Group households	no.	-	-	-	-	40
Family households	no.	-	-	-	-	1 528
Total households	no.	-	-	-	-	2 106
FAMILIES BY TYPE - Census 2006						
Couple families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-	-	-	494
Couple families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-	-	-	95
Couple families without children	no.	-	-	-	-	761
One parent families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-	-	-	112
One parent families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-	-	-	70
Other families	no.	-	-	-	-	19
Total families	no.	-	-	-	-	1 551
INTERNAL MIGRATION - Census 2006						
Persons who lived at same address 1 year ago	no.	-	-	-	-	4 389
Persons who lived at different address 1 year ago	no.	-	-	-	-	683
Persons who lived at same address 5 years ago	no.	-	-	-	-	3 081
Persons who lived at different address 5 years ago	no.	-	-	-	-	1 446
PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY REMOTENESS AREA - Census 2006						
Major Cities	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Inner Regional	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Outer Regional	%	-	-	-	-	100.0
Remote	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Very Remote	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY SECTION OF STATE - Census 2006						
Major Urban	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Other Urban	%	-	-	-	-	45.3
Bounded Locality	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Rural Balance	%	-	-	-	-	54.7
UNPAID WORK: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006						
Persons undertaking voluntary work for an organisation or group	%	-	-	-	-	33.7
Persons caring for own children without pay	%	-	-	-	-	20.9
Persons caring for other children without pay	%	-	-	-	-	6.2
Persons caring for own children and other children without pay	%	-	-	-	-	0.6
Persons providing unpaid care, help or assistance to family members or others	%	-	-	-	-	13.6
ACCESS TO INTERNET AT HOME: PROPORTION OF OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS - Census 2006						
Broadband connection	%	-	-	-	-	18.8
Dial-up connection	%	-	-	-	-	26.7
Other connection	%	-	-	-	-	0.7
Total internet connections	%	-	-	-	-	46.2



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BIRTHS AND DEATHS - year ended 31 December						
Births	no.	55	57	62	46	57
Total fertility rate	rate	2.1	2.0	2.0	1.9	2.0
Deaths	no.	48	46	48	59	56
Standardised death rate	rate	6.9	7.2	6.8	7.2	7.3
NUMBER OF RECORDED CRIMINAL INCIDENTS - year ended 31 December						
Homicide	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Assault - Domestic violence related	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Assault - Not domestic violence related	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Sexual offences	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Robbery - Without a weapon	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Robbery - With a firearm	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Robbery - With a weapon not a firearm	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Break and enter - Dwelling	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Break and enter - Non-dwelling	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Motor vehicle theft	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Steal from motor vehicle	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Steal from retail store	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Steal from dwelling	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Steal from person	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Driving offences	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Fraud	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Malicious damage to property	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Drugs - Possession and/or use	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Drugs - Dealing, trafficking	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
APPREHENDED VIOLENCE ORDERS ISSUED - year ended 31 December						
Number		-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Domestic	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Personal	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Total	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Rate per 100,000 population						
Domestic	rate	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Personal	rate	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Total	rate	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
DRIVERS LICENCE HOLDERS - year ended 30 June						
Number holding licence	no.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Proportion of population aged 16 years and over	%	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
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Table 3: Industry						
		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
BUILDING APPROVALS - year ended 30 June						
Private sector houses	no.	6	5	6	22	21
Total dwelling units	no.	6	6	6	26	21
Value of total residential building	\$m	1.1	0.9	1.5	3.5	4.1
Value of total non-residential building	\$m	0.0	0.7	1.0	0.7	0.6
Value of total building	\$m	1.1	1.7	2.5	4.2	4.7
NEW MOTOR VEHICLE SALES - year ended 30 June						
Passenger vehicles	no.	83	61	68	79	76
Other vehicles	no.	126	121	158	148	138
Total new motor vehicle sales	no.	210	182	226	227	213
MOTOR VEHICLE CENSUS - REGISTERED MOTOR VEHICLES - at 31 March						
Number by type of vehicle						
Passenger vehicles	no.	2 353	2 302	2 332	2 383	2 407
Campervans	no.	8	7	10	10	13
Light commercial vehicles	no.	1 313	1 307	1 316	1 386	1 438
Light rigid trucks	no.	32	34	37	37	40
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	272	262	257	247	253
Articulated trucks	no.	41	36	36	39	40
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	5	6	4	3	3
Buses	no.	36	36	31	35	34
Motorcycles	no.	56	69	78	89	103
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	4 116	4 058	4 103	4 229	4 331
Number per 1,000 population						
Passenger vehicles	no.	413	409	420	433	436
Campervans	no.	1	1	2	2	2
Light commercial vehicles	no.	231	232	237	252	261
Light rigid trucks	no.	6	6	7	7	7
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	48	47	46	45	46
Articulated trucks	no.	7	6	6	7	7
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	1	1	1	1	1
Buses	no.	6	6	6	6	6
Motorcycles	no.	10	12	14	16	19
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	723	722	740	768	785
Number by type of fuel						
Petrol - Leaded	no.	867	749	643	565	481
Petrol - Unleaded	no.	1 961	2 001	2 135	2 279	2 393
Diesel	no.	1 277	1 297	1 312	1 373	1 439
LPG/Dual/Other	no.	12	11	14	12	18
AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES * - year ended 30 June						
Total area						
Area of holding	ha	-	-	-	-	794 662.8
Cereals for grain	ha	-	-	-	-	131 807.5
Vegetables for human consumption	ha	-	-	-	-	6.4
Orchard trees (including nuts)	ha	-	-	-	-	242.1
All fruit (excluding grapes)	ha	-	-	-	-	242.1
Non-cereal broadacre crops	ha	-	-	-	-	15 851.5
Total number						
Sheep and lambs	no.	-	-	-	-	216 329
Milk cattle (excluding house cows)	no.	-	-	-	-	53
Meat cattle	no.	-	-	-	-	204 644
Pigs	no.	-	-	-	-	8 314
* Agricultural commodities data is subject to relative standard error (RSE) - for further information see ABS cat no. 7125.0						
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LAND AREA						
Land area	km ²	-	-	-	-	9 452.8

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